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## Ask Revision Of Phone Rates

A campaign for revision of telephone rates between Andover and the Lawrence, North Andover and Methuen area is being conducted by a committee appointed some time ago on the authorization of the Service club. The committee has attended one hearing before the Department of Public Utilities and another is expected to be held shortly.

The selectmen have sent the following letter to the Department of Public Utilities:

We understand that your board has under consideration a possible revamping of mileage charges for telephone service between adjacent cities and towns. We are very much interested in this question, due to the desire of many business and professional men to have a more reasonable rate for service between Andover and Lawrence.

Several years ago the charges for a Lawrence unlimited service by Andover users were nearly tripled. That portion of Andover nearest Lawrence, now known as Shawsheen, is closely allied with Lawrence in many respects, and would like a restoration of charges closely akin to the old rate. We hope that your board will be able to work out a solution that will ease these present difficulties.

If we can give any further information on either the local or general problem we will be very glad to do so.

## Professor Benner Dies At Waldoboro

To hundreds of Phillips academy alumni who knew Professor Allen Rogers Benner in his near half-century of service on the Hill, the news of his sudden passing in Waldoboro, Me., on Saturday came as a saddening shock. A scholar and a gentleman, his influence over the boys was confined not alone to the study of Greek but extended imperceptibly to their character; they will remember him not so much for his undisputed leadership in the field of the Classics as for his kindness and his sincere interest in their welfare.

Educated in the schools of Waldoboro, Maine, he was graduated from Phillips academy as valedictorian in 1888. Four years later he was awarded his A. B. degree summa cum laude from Harvard. He was a member of Signet, O. K., Delta Sigma, Phi Beta Kappa and Cum Laude. Upon his graduation several of his old teachers sought his services, but he accepted the offer of Dr. Bancroft and returned

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## Andover Scouts To Participate In Giant Scoutorama

Four Andover Boy Scout Troops and the local Cub Pack will take part in the giant Scoutorama which will be held next Monday and Tuesday evening in the Recreation Center, Hampshire street, Lawrence. In all there will be 30 Boy Scout troops, cub packs, Sea Scout ships and Explorer Patrols, the theme being "The Trail to Citizenship." The tests which the boys must pass to become a Second and then First Class scout will be demonstrated.

Troop 71 of Shawsheen, scoutmaster Frank Whiting, will show the scout pace test for Second Class badges. Troop 73 of the South church under Scoutmaster Alvin Zink, Jr., will give a demonstration of First Class cooking. Tenderfoot knots will be tied by Troop 74 of the Baptist church, under scoutmaster Selfridge. Troop 77 of West Andover, sponsored by the Goose and Gander club, will demonstrate Second Class First Aid. Norman Humphries is scoutmaster.

Cub pack 30-71 of the South church will participate in the cub

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## Chairman Shepard To Join Officials In Air Flight

Chairman Howell F. Shepard of the board of selectmen will be one of a group of officials of Greater Lawrence who will make an airplane trip Wednesday afternoon from the airport at North Andover to the East Boston airport. This trip is being made in connection with a proposed Portland to New York air service, with a stop at the Lawrence airport.

The group will meet at the Mayor's office in Lawrence at 12:15 and will leave North Andover at 12:45, arriving at East Boston at 12:55.

## Public Works Equipment Bought

The Board of Public Works has already purchased several pieces of the new equipment voted by the town meeting, and next week it is expected that more will be purchased. Already ordered are the road hone, the roller, the patch mixer and the chlorinator. The season's requirements for copper pipe have also been ordered, with a local contractor winning the contract for the first time in years.

## Adventurers Stepping Up Work On Production Of Barry's "Holiday"

Work on the forthcoming production of the Adventurers, "Holiday" by Philip Barry, is progressing at a fast rate, President Charles A. Armitage was able to announce Monday night at the monthly meeting of the organization. With three weeks remaining before the April 16th curtain rising, the cast is already having intensive rehearsals under the direction of Frances Cheever, the properties have already been acquired by Margaret Currier and her committee, the scenery design planned by Louise Hulme is ready for the activities of the production crew, all tickets previously ordered are ready for delivery and the chart of the seating plan is filling up rapidly.

President Armitage announced the following committees: Nominating Committee: Lyman Cheever, chairman; Mildred Eaton, G. Clifford Emmons; Properties: Margaret Currier, Sheila Westgate, co-chairmen, Betty Buchan, Nancy Hird, Lilian Fox, E. Marjorie Smith; Hand Props: Evelyne Oliver, chairman; Virginia Lane, Emma G. Carter; Property Assistants: Richard Cooper, Everett Gorrie; Costumes: Reta Buchan, chairman; Grace Morin, Doris Anderson, Betty Carmichael, Helen Dirkin, Virginia Wise, Eleanor Brown; Men's Costumes: Ernest Young; Light: William Edwards, chairman; Marjorie Edwards, George Adams; Prompter: Marion Hill; Stage Manager: Irene Morgan, chairman; Dorothy Wade, assistant; Sound Effects: Marion N. Macdonald, Gladys Hill, Agnes Dugan; Painting: Agnes Dugan, Anna Greeley, Virginia Wise, Eleanor Brown, Dorothy Ruhl; Paperhangers: Carolyn Howe, Margaret McFarlin, Hylda Sheppard; Scene Design: Louise Hulme; Production Manager: Sumner Davis; Construction and Stage Crew: Jesse West, Preston Wade, Geoffrey Nicoll, Eric Hulme, Richard Douglas, Edward Manning, Walter Rankin, Clifford Emmons; Make-up: Jesse West, Dorothy Winn; Tickets: Louise Hulme, Chairman; Sheila Westgate, Grace Emmons, Agnes Dugan, Hylda Sheppard, Marion Hill, Dorothy Wade; Publicity: Joseph Doherty, chairman; Mae Elander, Richard Cooper, Marion Macdonald, Hylda Sheppard; Program: Mary Bailey.

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## Changes Made In Lighting Committee By Moderator Butler

### Garbage Committee Named; Few Changes In Other Boards

Very few changes were made in the town committees appointed yesterday by the moderator except in the street lighting committee which came in for a storm of criticism at the town meeting a few weeks ago. Reappointed to the committee were Ernest R. Edwards, Chester Johnson and Joseph T. Remmes, while new members will be William H. Merchant and Eldon E. Stark, replacing Walter Coleman, long-time chairman, and William F. Barron, newly-elected member of the Board of Public Works.

A special committee appointed by virtue of a town meeting vote to investigate garbage and rubbish collection for a report to the next annual meeting will consist of Fred E. Cheever, Richard S. Douglas, Henry S. Hopper, John N. MacKenzie, Ralph A. Woodcock, Alvin J. Zink, Jr., George R. Cairns and Charles Shattuck.

The only change on the supervised play committee is the retirement at his request of Edward P. Hall, now of the public works board. Jerome W. Cross and Mrs. E. Dean Walen were reappointed to the co-ordinated recreation committee, Joseph B. Doherty was added to the committee, and in addition the chairmen of the playground and bathing beach committees will be added when they are named by their respective groups.

The playground committee will consist of Stafford Lindsay, Charles J. Bailey, James Gillen, Harold Peters, Harry Emmons, Richard O'Brien, Mrs. George G. Brown and Frank Markey.

The finance committee will remain the same as last year: Harvey Turner, Ralph Woodcock, Hugh Bullock, Charles B. Gabeler, Mitchell Johnson, Joseph Hargedon and George Stanley.

## Andover Teams Aiding In Hospital Building Drive

The Lawrence General Hospital new building fund drive will get under way this evening with the teams scheduled to receive their solicitation cards at a dinner to be held at the Recreation ballroom. Monday night the various members selected the names of prospects at a meeting at the Boys' club.

The Andover teams follow:

Division I, Andover, Roy E. Hardy, Commander.

Team 81—Stafford A. Lindsay, Captain; Alan F. Dunlop; Paul M. Cheney; Kirk R. Batcheller; Leonard P. Johnson; James P. Christie.

Team 82—Harry I. Emmons, Captain; Don P. Scott, Lieutenant; William R. Edwards; James R. Baldwin.

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# News of Other Days

### Fifty Years Ago

—John Ritchie has gone to Boston and commences work this morning as a salesman in the dry goods store of R. H. White and company.

—In order to increase more interest in cricket, Mr. George C. Lyle has offered to give three medals to the club to be competed for during the season. The one making the best averages in batting, bowling or fielding will be declared the winner.

—Henry Sweeney of Villanova college is spending his Easter vacation at home.

—A new bill to be reported at Washington would place the Andover Post office on the free delivery list. We hope it will go through.

—The street lighting committee organized last Friday evening by the choice of M. A. Clement, chairman, and Felix G. Haynes, secretary. The last committee upon application let some persons have the old kerosene lamps on condition that they should light them, but it is found that in several cases they were lighted for a short time only. Now the present committee request that those who took the lights shall light them or they shall consider it within their bounds to take the same and give them to other applicants of which there are many.

### Twenty-five Years Ago

—Miss Marion Abbott of High street, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen F. Abbott, has finished her course of instruction at the Salem Commercial school.

—The local friends of Miss Belle Bowman, daughter of Selectman and Mrs. Charles Bowman, will be glad to learn of the success that she is attaining in the operatic world. During this week, she has been singing in "Lohengrin" with the Aborn Grand Opera company at the Boston theatre.

—A large audience gathered in the town hall last Friday evening to see the play entitled "Uncle Rube" presented by the Dosen club. To give one of the actors more praise than another would be an injustice, as all took their parts with an easy grace. The cast included: J. Everett Collins, Dana J. Lowd, William Judson Dean, John Erving, William Holden, Lyman Cheever, Herbert Holt, Eldred Larkin, Ruth Lane, Mabel Marshall and Grace Stevens.

### Ten Years Ago

—An exploding still is believed to have caused the fire which completely ruined Frank Morin's barn on North Main street, West Andover, shortly before three o'clock, Wednesday morning. Flames which could be seen for miles around, fed by gallons of denatured alcohol, raced through the structure and shot skyward, consuming the roof and walls before firemen could lay a line.

It is understood that the Morin barn had been leased out to three men, one of them known as "Pat." When the Federal authorities viewed the ruined building they found parts of a still in the wreckage and also located a pipe running entirely around the building. Blue flame was shooting out one end of the pipe and this caused officers to believe that the pipe was an alcohol line. One Andover officer said he had learned that a small Ford truck always drove up to the barn at midnight.

## Recreation League Enjoys Banquet

The Andover Recreation League brought its 1939-40 bowling season to a bang-up close Monday evening with a well-attended banquet at the Pelham Inn. George Markey presided as toastmaster.

James Fettes of the Boys' club was awarded a prize for the high average, Fred Barrett of Greeley's for high triple, and Henry Gauthier of the Laundry for high single. The team championship cup went to Greeley's, and individual trophies were presented to the members of the Greeley team, second half champions, and the Boys' club, first half winners.

### DRAMATIC DEPT. MEETS

Friday afternoon the Dramatic Department of the Shawsheen Village Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. Albert N. Wade of Lowell street to hear the reading of the popular play "Sky Lark." Mrs. George H. Winslow was co-hostess. Mrs. Harrison Brown and Mrs. Luella Bartlett poured.

The next meeting is to be held Friday, April 5, at the home of Mrs. Leon A. Field of Wolcott avenue. Mrs. Harrison Brown will be co-hostess.


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## Shawsheen

—Miss Barbara Bruorton of York street spent the Easter week-end in Springfield and Hartford, Conn.

—Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Lane home from a trip to Florida.

—Samuel Simpson of Kennebunk, Maine, visited with Stephen Moss of York street over the week-end.

—Mrs. Garfield S. Chase of Enmore street has returned from a visit to New York City.

—Miss Helen Bickell of the Administration building has returned to her work after a short illness.

—Arthur E. Steinert of Union street has returned from a business trip to Maine.

—Ben Batcheller of Lowell street is enjoying a respite from his studies at Lowell Textile.

—Miss Margaret Lyons of North Main street is spending her vacation from the College of New Rochelle, New Rochelle, N. Y., at her home.

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### TICKETS ON SALE FOR ALUMNI BRIDGE

Bridge, whist or checkers will be enjoyed according to individual preferment at the party in Memorial auditorium April 17 under the auspices of the Punchard alumni association. Tickets are selling fast and the committee have received ten door prizes which will be awarded besides the table prizes.

### BOY SCOUT FOOD SALE

A food sale will be held by the Boy Scout troop of the Free church at the Andover Appliance company on Friday afternoon, April 5th.

### LEGION AUXILIARY TO MEET

The local Legion auxiliary will meet this evening at the Legion rooms at 7:45.

### TO ATTEND COUNTY DINNER

Members of the local American Legion who plan to attend the county dinner and entertainment of the Legion which will be held Saturday evening in Pythian Castle, Lynn, are asked to contact Joseph A. McCarthy.

—Mrs. Benjamin Babb of Princeton road is enjoying a visit in Florida.

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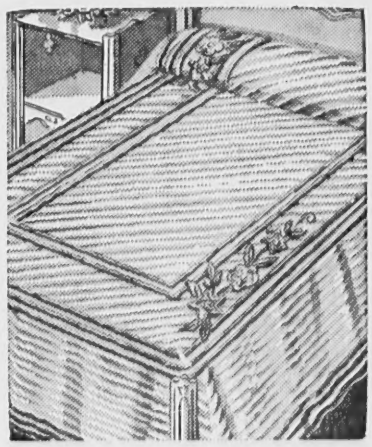

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# EDITORIAL

## *Can We Save Time?*

One of the chief criticisms of Democracy is that it is cumbersome, slow, time-wasting. One does not have to go as far afield as war policies of the Democratic governments to find that this criticism is justified; we in Andover need go back only a few weeks to our town meeting to see an excellent example of time-wasting. Imagine taking two nights to do what we did.

The next annual town meeting is over eleven months away, but it would be a good idea to start now considering means of stream-lining our town meetings so that less time is consumed in procedural matters and more on worth while discussion—it being apparent that the privilege of free discussion will continue to be abused by a few. But take for instance the great quantity of reading that the town clerk has to do. First off he has to read a long preamble just to prove that the meeting has been legally called—possibly the state law calls for this, but it is rather a cumbersome procedure. Then he has to read each article, and that takes unnecessary time. Every voter can secure a finance committee report with each article in it, and every voter knows how to read or he couldn't be a voter. Then time seems to be wasted under the departmental budgets, where a separate motion is made on each item; it would make things move faster if like items were grouped in one motion.

Why not think this over before next March rolls around?

## *Stage Crew At Work On Senior Production*

Although the youthful actors and actresses busy with rehearsals of "Marigold" will really be the main attraction of the production in Memorial Auditorium on Friday evening, a long list of Punchard seniors and faculty members will also have their share of worries and deserve their share of credit.

They are: Assistant Director, Dorothy Christie; Costumes: Miss Smith, faculty; Peggy Addison, chairman; Marjorie Crosby, Judith Hardy, Dorothy Davidson, Mary Broderick, Barbara Dickinson, Elinor Houston, Barbara Gahm, Frances Videto, Eileen Flynn, Ruth Bryant, Bernice Parsons, Marilyn Lewis, Vera Crossley, Esther Cairnie, Margaret Downs; Stage Managers: Lester Alleruzzo, Norman Auchterlonie; Construction Crew: Lauren Dearborn, chairman; Norman Auchterlonie, Paul Buss, Lester Alleruzzo, George Douty, Robert Stocks; Paint Crew: William Renny, chairman; Vera Crossley, Dorothy Chick, Dorothy Barnet, Anne Hathaway, Catherine Jowett, Muriel Porter, Ruth Porter, Mary Broderick, Paul Buss, Norman Auchterlonie, Lester Alleruzzo; Sound Effects: Frances Videto, chairman; Nancy Boyce, Judith Hardy; Lights: Robert M. Wood, chairman; Hubert Stuck, Catherine Jowett, Rita Knight; Stage Crew: Thomas Noyes, Jacob Jacobson, Donald Hill, George Brown, Herbert Muller, Frank Haggerty; Properties, Furniture: Miss Armitage of faculty; John Miller, chairman; Andrew Hamilton, Howard Proctor, Marilyn Lewis; Hand Properties: Jean MacLeish, chairman; Priscilla Moss, Bernice Mundy, Marjorie Crosby, Margaret Cargill; Publicity, Tickets, Printing: Miss Dugan of the faculty and Senior Salesmanship Class; Business Manager: Mrs. Carter, faculty; Team Captains: Eleanor Gorrie, chairman; Margaret Gordon, Pauline Dufresne, Nancy Thomas, Catherine Smart, Annie White, Judith Hardy, Barbara Dickinson, Thomas Noyes, John Collins, Frank Haggerty.

### BARNARD REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

The following real estate transactions have recently been completed by the W. Shirley Barnard Real Estate and Insurance agency: the eight-room house at 3 Wolcott avenue owned by Mrs. Herbert E. Russe'l has been rented to Mr. and Mrs. Allen Cook.

## *Local Topics*

—Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Livesey and Jackie have moved from their home on Elm street to the corner of Elm and Main streets, North Andover.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Smith and daughter of Albany, N. Y., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Smith of Maple avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bishop, formerly of Main street, have taken up their residence in Middleton, Mass.

—Assistant postmaster Frank S. McDonald is reported as resting as comfortably as possible at his home after being stricken seriously ill Tuesday afternoon.

—Roy A. Hood, Jr., who en'isted in the army in the Boston Recruiting station is now at Fort Slocum, N. Y., and expects to be transferred soon to Hawaii.

—Miss Barbara Smith of Canterbury street, Miss Martha Curran of Tavern Acres, North Andover, and Miss Ruth Schaufus of Lawrence are spending a week in Washington, D. C. They are enjoying the spring recess from Simmons college.

—Miss Helen Marcia Beer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Beer of 3 Summer street, will take part in the "Arena Demonstration" which will be presented by the entire student and faculty body of Boston University's Sargent College of Physical Education at the Boston Arena, tomorrow evening.

## "HOLIDAY" COMING

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After plans for the coming play had been presented, William Hughes, vice-president of the organization, introduced Mr. Charles Keyes, who spoke on his experiences in dramatic coaching. Mr. Keyes has directed Lowell Tech shows for the past ten years. In these productions his girls must be boys dressed for the occasion. His dramatic problems have been entirely different from those confronted by the Adventurers. By example and story Mr. Keyes related how actors learn their lines, catch their cues and make their entrances. Some of his boy actors have become famous actors, one in particular is now on the radio in "One Man's Family."

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## Cooling Off

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At the conference, it was learned that 30% of the complaints registered were about the wind and snow that disallowed the wearing of new bonnets...even the fashionable "Gone With The Wind" chapeaux seemed to be making good their name...So it was decided that we must have some warm spring weather...But another 30% cried for snow and cold because now that they had bought skis at bargain prices they wanted a chance to use them... Then there was another 30% who complained about surprise storms, lightning and snow..."We don't care what you give us," they said, "only for goodness sake be consistent." (Some of them didn't even say "goodness")...then there was another ten percent, the minority ...which the weathermen decided not to bother about because they were probably radicals...besides they wanted to get the right angle on the triangle and a fourth side was just out of place...

Anyway the convention continued and continued with hecklers arriving from all over the United States to see that "right was done."

The Weatherman from New England, who was considered the most diplomatic of them all since his area called for the most diplomacy, was asked what he thought of the problem, and he said, "Let us have a week of rain, a week of snow and a week of sunshine, running them consistently every month." So it was decided, the only thing is that there are four weeks in the month and the fourth week will probably be given over to the radicals, anyway.

What, April Fool isn't till Monday?...

—Mrs. Stanley V. Lane is confined to her home by illness.

—Dr. and Mrs. Frank D. Kefferstan will be in Boston for the annual conventions of the New England Council of Optometrists and the Woman's Auxiliary, which are meeting simultaneously at the Hotel Statler March 31 through April 3.

# Weddings

## *Local Couple Wed At Double Ceremony*

At a pretty double wedding in the Immaculate Conception church in Lowell Sunday afternoon, Miss Beatrice Gallagher of 250 North Main street, became the bride of John Joseph Doyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Doyle of North Main street, and at the same ceremony, her sister, Miss Katherine J. Gallagher, 131 Hollywood avenue, Lowell, became the bride of Mitchell Joseph Riopelle, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Riopelle, 49 Beach street, Lowell.

The brides were both wearing becoming gowns of powder blue with corsages of lilies of the valley and gardenias and matching accessories. Rev. Leo Burke performed the ceremony.

Both couples left on a wedding trip to New York after the ceremony and will be at home April 5.

### Hathaway-Dane

Miss Dorothy Dane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Dane of 28 Cuba street, became the bride of Orson Hathaway, son of Mr. and Mrs. Danforth Hathaway of Milton, at a ceremony performed by Father Smith yesterday afternoon at St. Augustine's Rectory. A wedding banquet followed at the Shawsheen Manor.

The cousin of the bride, Marjorie Dane of Franklin, N. H., was maid of honor, and the bridegroom's brother, Samuel Hathaway of Milton, was best man. The bride was gowned in pink, and she carried roses and lilies of the valley, while the bridesmaid's dress was also predominantly pink, and she carried roses.

Following a wedding trip the couple will live in Manchester, N. H.

### Chamberlain-Hawkins

Miss Rita Mary Hawkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hawkins of 29 Crescent street, Lawrence, became the bride of Arthur G. Chamberlain, son of Mrs. Clara Chamberlain, Laurel Lane, West Andover, at a pretty four o'clock ceremony in St. Augustine's Church, Lawrence, Monday. Rev. Louis A. McMenamin, O.S.A., performed the ceremony.

Wearing a white slipper satin gown en train and a flowing veil of tulle caught with a coronet of pearls, the bride was attended by her sister, Miss Georgiana Hawkins. Miss Hawkins wore a sweetheart gown of heaven blue with matching accessories and she carried yellow roses. The bride's bouquet was of white roses and lilies of the valley.

Joseph Chamberlain was the best man.

After a reception which was held in Columbia Hall, the couple left on a wedding trip to New York. They will reside at 33 Jordan street, Lawrence.

### ENGAGEMENT

The engagement of Miss Thayer Birdsall, formerly of Andover, to Charles Morton Poore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hezekiah P. Poore of Ames street, Lawrence, was announced by her parents, Dr. and Mrs. John Morrison Birdsall, Sunday, at a party at the family home, Hedgerow, Ward Hill, Haverhill.

### MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

Frederick P. Fitzgerald, 462 Riverside Drive, Lawrence, and Elizabeth Croy, 38A Maple avenue, Andover.

### TENDERED PARTY

A surprise party for Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Gesing was held at Wild Grove Inn, Pelham, N. H. Friday evening by about thirty friends of the young couple. Games and general dancing were enjoyed and refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. Gesing were presented a coffee table and lamp.

### FASHION SHOW AT V. F. W. AUXILIARY MEETING

A fashion show followed by a luncheon was held at the meeting of the V. F. W. auxiliary in the post rooms last evening. The following ladies modeled: Mrs. Quinn, Mrs. Folley, Mrs. Finucane, Mrs. Ebersbach, and Mrs. Paul Simeone, Sr.

A mystery ride will be held next Wednesday.

### PLAN RUMMAGE SALE

The Junior Woman's Guild of the Christ Church is planning to hold a rummage sale April 6, on Broadway, Lawrence.


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## Ski Tales

Ski enthusiasts, present or future, will not want to miss the winter sports movie which will be presented at the Baptist church, April 4, showing skiers of all types and ages in all classes and stages ...Mr. Utley has spent two years making the picture and has caught the Belknap region, Cannon, Cranmore and other favorite slopes in powdered array when they have been the skiers' and the photographers' paradise, but he has also caught them in off guard poses when they have been windswept, rain pelted or snow stormed, viz under typical New England conditions...Schneider methods will also be shown, from the beginners snowplow classes to the fast Christy classes...In fact, it's enough to make a ski blunderer wonder if the instructor isn't, after all, an important part of skiing...

Ted Butler and Mitchell Johnson who are in the controlled skiers class, are enjoying Tuckerman's Ravine this week..."Mitch" could not pick a better way to spend his Spring vacation although Rensselaer isn't exactly in a ski-barren region...Maurice Gillen has also been enjoying mid-week skiing and spent Monday and Tuesday at Jackson...Although week-enders really have had no complaints lately...the trails at Huckins were pretty well covered with nice soft snow Saturday even after Ann Beer, Elmer Grover and the J. G. S. Humphreys scooped off a few ton...Cannon couldn't have been any better than it was Sunday according to Midge Buchan and John Lowe and it looks as if Spring outfits will hang in the closet a few more weeks while ski togs still avoid the mothballs...

### PLAN SPRING FROLIC

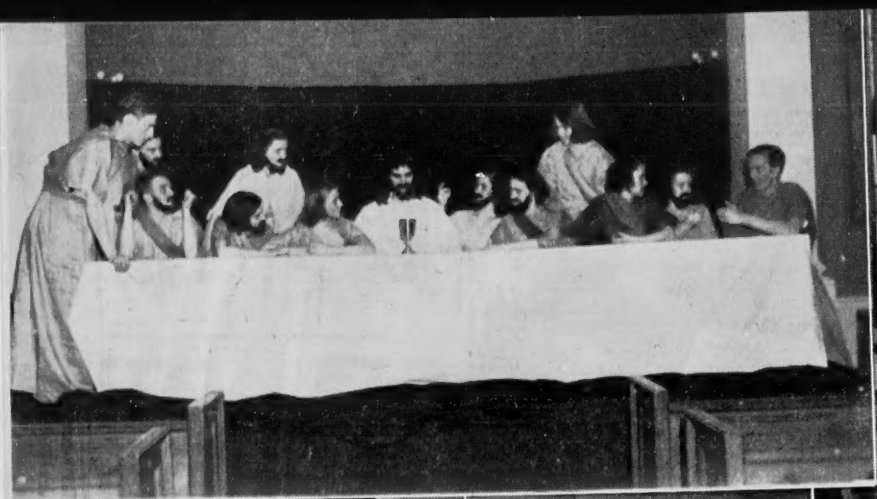
A "Spring Frolic" sponsored by the Young Ladies sodality of St. Augustine's church will be held in the parochial school hall April 18. Miss Mary Harkin is chairman of the committee which is composed of Misses Bernardine Barrett, Mary Collins, Marion Connolly, Josephine McNulty, Mary M. McNulty, Flora E. T. Raidy, Bridie O'Bierne, Dorothy Rynne and Mary Simeone.

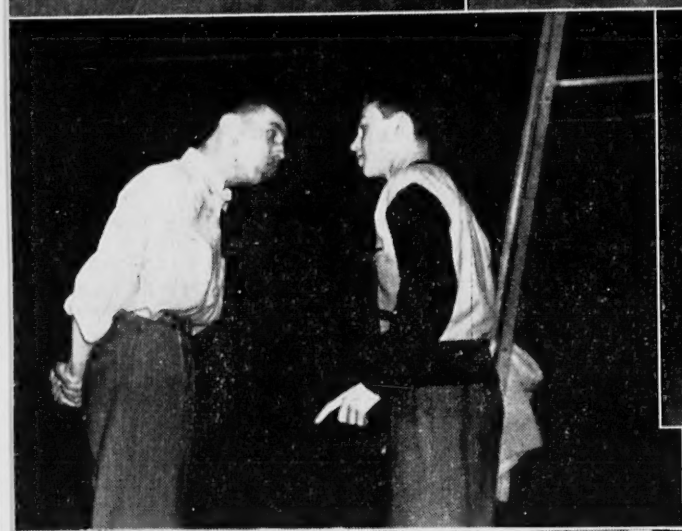
### ENTERTAINS VETS

A fish and chip supper was served at the meeting of the British Veterans' auxiliary in the Square and Compass club last night, with the veterans as guests. Supper was served by: Mrs. Anne Thompson, Mrs. Ann Renny, Misses Margaret Reid, Agnes Stewart, Annie Stewart, Mrs. Tilbury, and Mrs. Harry Rose.

Dr. Stanley Chart will be the speaker at the next social meeting of the auxiliary Wednesday evening, April 10.

—Mr. and Mrs. Alan R. Blackmer of Highland Road are enjoying a visit at Dunkirk, N. Y., having encountered Upper New York's blizzard on Monday.





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# Dramatics In Full Swing As Winter Sports End

Upper left: one of the most impressive of the many impressive features of Andover's Easter observance was the tableau depicting the Last Supper shown at the Free Church Sunday night. Alfred Lombard, as Jesus, in the center is surrounded by Disciples, left to right: Everett Gorrie, James Keith, Thomas Dea, Ruth Grant, Margaret Cargill, Gladys Monroe, Helen Renny, Ruth Keith, Ethel Watts, Roberta Cilley, Catherine Craig, and Andrew Hamilton.

Upper right: rehearsing for the annual Irish night program to be presented by the St. Augustine's school children at Memorial auditorium next Tuesday evening are: (front) Theresa Collins, Mary Donovan, Arthur Collins, Mary Sheehan; (back) Irene Shorten, John Loye, Eileen Byrne and Francis Sheehan.

Center left: three previews of the Punchard Senior play, "Marigold," to be presented tomorrow night at the auditorium; in the upper two Marigold (Eleanor Doherty) is shown being wooed by the Laird of Kettinfoot (Warren Richardson), and dancing a Scotch dance with Gordon White who in the picture below is arguing vehemently with Bill Ferguson.

Center right, one of the reasons the Andover Boys' club is playing in the Greater Lawrence finals Saturday: a basket being scored by Jim Fettes (No. 9) in the game against Methuen at the Y Tuesday.

Lower left: at Pelham Monday night the Andover Recreational league closed its season with a banquet. At the head table were Arthur Reason, Earl Urban, George Markey, Milton Blanchard, Kenneth Sherman, George Crocket, Emil Dufresne, and Jimmy Williams.

Lower right: J. Everett Collins directing the Andover Male choir, Jr. If you want to hear something really good, go to the P. T. A. meeting next Wednesday night when these earnest youngsters will join with the Male choir, Sr., in singing "Omnipotence."

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### R. P. C. MEET

The R. P. C. club held their regular business meeting at the home of Mrs. Clayton H. Northey, Rocky Hill road, last Monday evening. Their next meeting, April 8, will be with Miss Margaret Buchan, 3 Lincoln street.

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### TOPICAL TEA

A number of Andover residents are planning to attend a Topical Tea to be given by the Education Committee of the Y. W. C. A. of Lawrence Monday afternoon at three on the subject: "Refugees and Their Place in America." David Latshaw of the Boston Branch of the American Committee for Christian Refugees, will be the speaker. A discussion will follow and tea will be served. There will be no charge.


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## Obituaries

### Edith McKeen Cutler

Mrs. Edith McKeen Cutler, wife of Howard A. Cutler of 98 Main street, died at her home Thursday afternoon, March 21. Funeral services were held at Christ church Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Cutler was one of Andover's most loved citizens and her memory will be long cherished by hosts of friends.

She was the daughter of William McKeen and Ann Forbes (Crawford) McKeen and was born and lived in Terre Haute, Indiana, up to the time of her marriage to Mr. Cutler in 1899. Survivors are her husband; two daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Cutler Burr of Winchester, Mass., and Ann Crawford Cutler of New York City; and two sons, Howard McKeen Cutler of Worcester, Mass., and Benjamin Crawford Cutler of New York City.

### Henry S. Pratt

Funeral services for Henry Selden Pratt, 62, who passed away Sunday morning at his home, 14 Riverina road, Shawsheen Village, were held yesterday at the late home.

Born in Lawrence, Mr. Pratt was a lifelong athletic enthusiast, being captain of his college football team at Brown, and following a football career for some years with the Pittsburgh Duquesnes. He served as teacher-coach at North Easton high for some years and became cashier of the Textile Realty company after the war. He took up his residence in Shawsheen about sixteen years ago.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mabel (Kitchen) Pratt; a son, Richard W., and a sister, Eleanor T. Pratt.

Interment was in the West Parish cemetery.

### Thomas MacLeish

The funeral services for Thomas MacLeish were held Tuesday afternoon at the family home, 39 Washington avenue, where he passed away Saturday evening. Rev. Herman C. Johnson officiated.

Mr. MacLeish was born in Pitcairn Green, Scotland, and had resided in this town for the past thirty-five years. He was a beltmaker by occupation. He was an active member of the Free church and was an honorary member of the Clan Johnston, O. S. C.

He is survived by his wife, Annie (Jenkins); two sons, John and Norman S.; three daughters, Mrs. John Denholm, Mrs. Duncan Sessoms and Mrs. David Allen of Seattle, Wash.; and eight grandchildren.

Burial was in the Spring Grove cemetery.

### IN MEMORIAM

Edith McKeen Cutler

## TO AID HOSPITAL DRIVE

(Continued from Page 1)

Team 83—Edward A. Anderson, Captain; Arthur W. Cole, Lieutenant; Gordon L. Colquhoun; Fred W. Gould; Clifford E. Marshall; Nathaniel Stowers; H. Lester Utley; Roger Whitcomb.

Team 84—Walter C. Tomlinson, Captain; Henry S. Hopper, Lieutenant; Howell F. Shepard; Samuel C. Resnick; Kenneth L. Sherman; Harold W. Leitch; Walter E. Billings; Richard G. Whipple.

Team 85—Joseph B. Doherty, Captain; Edwin C. Manning, Lieutenant; Milton C. Blanchard; Benjamin Dimlich; James E. Greeley; Elmer J. Grover; Frank P. Markey; Edward A. Rice.

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Division E, Andover, Miss Anna W. Kuhn, Commander.

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Team 42—Mrs. James H. Eaton, Captain; Mrs. Foster C. Barnard, Lieutenant; Mrs. Arthur Sweeney; Miss Evelyn B. Bailey; Mrs. Scott H. Paradise; Mrs. Morris L. Hallowell; Mrs. Frederick Johnson; Mrs. Miles S. Malone.

Team 43—Mrs. Frank L. Brigham, Captain; Mrs. Edward C. Nichols, Lieutenant; Mrs. Henry G. Tyer; Mrs. Ernest D. Walen; Mrs. Charles H. Cole; Mrs. Charles L. Currier; Mrs. Charles R. Gabeler; Mrs. Nathaniel Stowers.

Division E-1, Mrs. William W. Kurth, Commander.

Team 44—Mrs. Alexander Wilson, Captain; Mrs. Walter C. Wilson, Lieutenant; Mrs. James R. Baldwin; Mrs. James L. Dean; Mrs. George L. Gahm; Mrs. Nowell R. Kinney; Mrs. Emil J. C. Shulze; Mrs. Charles L. Ware.

Team 45—Mrs. John T. Batal, Captain; Mrs. Carleton E. Shulze, Lieutenant; Mrs. Harold G. Bowen; Mrs. Charles C. E. Bradley, Jr.; Mrs. Leslie Christison; Mrs. Joseph A. Mulvey; Mrs. Arthur E. Steinert; Mrs. Walter N. Webster.

Team 46—Mrs. Joseph T. Gagne, Captain; Mrs. Herbert H. Veit, Lieutenant; Miss Barbara Brourton; Mrs. Paul M. Cheney; Mrs. C. Lester Connor; Mrs. Percy Earnshaw; Mrs. Frank H. McAnally; Mrs. Edward J. Reilly.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clifford North of William street are enjoying a vacation in Florida.

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## Church Services

### WEST CHURCH

Friday 2:00 to 5:00 Woman's Union Food Sale at Playdon's Florist shop; Sunday 10:00 Church school; 10:45 Primary department; 10:45 Worship service and sermon; 12:00 Senior choir; 7:00 Young People's Fellowship; Tuesday 3:45 Girl Scouts; 7:00 Boy Scouts and Boy Scout Committee; Wednesday 2:30 Woman's Union will entertain Ladies' Aid Society of Union Congregational church, Ballardvale, in vestry; 8:00 Junior Woman's Union at home of Mrs. Sherman Boutwell, Shawsheen Road, with speaker from the Lawrence Clinic.

### FREE CHURCH

Sunday 9:30 Sunday school; 10:45 Nursery class; 10:45 morning worship with sermon on "Learn to Wait"; 12:00 Slattery class; 4:00 C. E. Rally in Ballardvale; 6:00 Jr. C. E.; 6:15 Intermediate C. E. at 11 Cedar road; Tuesday 2:30 Helping Hand; Thursday 2:30 Style show sponsored by Woman's alliance; 6:00 Jr. choir; 7:30 Sr. choir; Friday 7:00 Boy Scouts.

### SOUTH CHURCH

Thursday 8:00 Open meeting of A. P. C. sorority on "Old Houses" at Andover Historical society house; Sunday 9:30 Church school and The Little Church; 10:45 morning worship, sermon by Rev. A. Graham Baldwin of Phillips academy; 10:45 Church kindergarten; 7:00 The Young People's society of the Pilgrim Fellowship; Monday 6:30 Courteous Circle of the King's Daughters; Supper and speaker Mrs. Alan Shepherd, Essex County President; Tuesday Bible Study Group omitted; 7:00 Cub Pack No. 1; Thursday 3:00 Prayer Circle of the Women's Union; 4:00 Choir of The Little Church; 7:00 Church choir; Friday 7:00 Boy Scouts.

### BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday 9:30 Church school; 10:45 Church worship, "The Fulfillment of a Great Trust"; 6:30 C. E.; Friday 7:00 choir; 7:00 Boy Scouts; 8:00 Philathea class meeting.

### CHRIST CHURCH

Sunday 8:00 Holy Communion; 9:30 Church school; 11:00 Church worship; Monday 7:45 Girls' Friendly.

### ST. AUGUSTINE'S

Sunday masses at 6:30, 8:30, 9:45 and 11:30; week-day masses at 7:30.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Irvine has returned from Baltimore, Md., where she was called by the illness and death of her sister.

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### IN MEMORIAM

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In spite of cares and ill health, there was about her a graciousness and beauty of spirit that was uplifting to all who knew her.

There was always time in her busy life to give a kind and sympathetic word, accompanied by a smile of such rare charm that one felt better for having met her.

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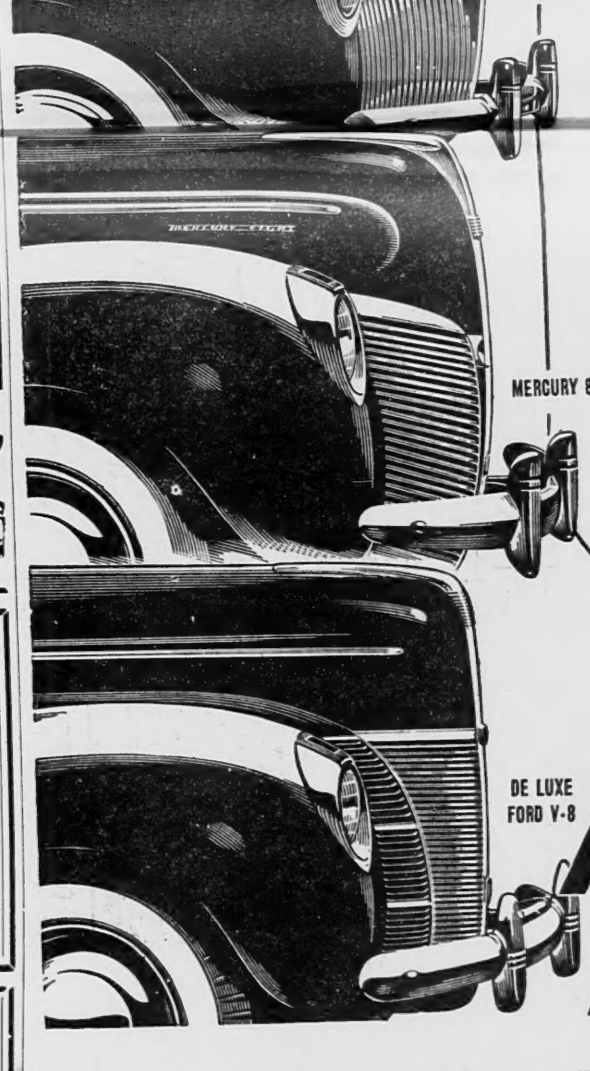


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# — Club Activities

### TO SPEAK AT SERVICE CLUB

"Protecting the Revenue" will be the subject of the talk at the next Service club meeting tonight at the Square and Compass club. Special Agent Clifton E. Mack or his assistant, David A. Kelleher, from the Intelligence Unit of the Internal Revenue Service, will be the speaker.

At the April 11th meeting which will be held at the Andover Inn, J. Chandler Hill from Governor Dummer academy will talk on "Concerning War Preparations This Last Summer On The Continent." Mr. Hill spent several weeks in Germany before the outbreak of the war and is well qualified to discuss the crucial situation.

Duffy Lewis is chairman of the entertainment committee which has arranged the series of interesting programs for the Service club.

### B. W. V. PLAN ANNIVERSARY DANCE

William O'Brien, of the Lawrence post No. 8, American Legion, spoke at the meeting of the British War veterans in the Square and Compass hall, last Friday evening at 7:30. Plans were completed for the Veterans' seventh anniversary dance to be held on Saturday evening, April 20, in the Guild hall. A catered supper will be served at this time, beginning at 6:30, followed by a short talk about the organization and its work. General dancing will be enjoyed to the music of Alexander's Oldtime band. John Nicoll is in charge of the program.

Refreshments were served at last Friday evening's meeting by: Peter Doherty, chairman of the committee; Hector Pattullo, Vernon Porter, George Craig, Harry Bland, William Gordon and Alexander Wilson.

### CHAIRMAN OF RECEPTION

Miss Rowena L. Rhodes of Abbot academy attended the convention of the Eastern District society of the American Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation which opened Tuesday at the Hotel Statler in Boston. Miss Rhodes is one of the co-chairmen of the reception which will be held in the hotel ballroom tonight.

### MR. CURTIS TO SPEAK AT GARDEN CLUB

Will C. Curtis of South Sudbury will speak on "Wild Flowers" at the next meeting of the Andover Garden club to be held at the Andover Inn on Tuesday morning, April 2, at ten o'clock. This meeting is eagerly anticipated by all those who enjoyed the nature trail staged by Mr. Curtis in conjunction with the New England Wild Flower Preservation Society at the Boston Spring Flower show. Mr. Curtis also set up the exhibit of insectivorous plants mentioned by Lowell Thomas in a national broadcast.

There will be an exhibit of forced shrubs by members under the chairmanship of Mrs. Emery J. Trott.

## *A Hundred Boys From Andover Schools To Participate In Fathers' Night Program*

With almost sixty boys' soprano voices raised in exaltation in the impressive rendition of Schubert's Omnipotence in harmony with the Andover Male Choir, the April 3rd P. T. A. meeting will open its unusual program at 8:00 in the Memorial Auditorium. The large committee composed of fathers, with Kenneth Sherman, chairman; Stafford Lindsay, vice-chairman; John Avery, treasurer; Frank Markey, publicity, have enlisted the aid of forty more boys who will exhibit gymnastic drilling and stunts under the direction of Donald Dunn. Principal Nathan C. Hamblin will give a short address and refreshments and general dancing will follow.

Parents are cordially invited to attend and there will be no admission or collection.

The boys selected by Miss Miriam Sweeney from grades 3 to 8 in the Andover schools to sing with the choir have been rehearsing enthusiastically under the direction of J. Everett Collins, and will hold their first combined rehearsal with the Male Choir Tuesday evening at 8:00 in the choir rooms. Boys taking part are: Sam Waugh, John Shepard, Dwight Killam, Charles Valentine, Ralph Wirtz, David Cargill, Randlett Emmons, David Graham, Lawrence Barss, Whitney Hanson, John Thomson, Norman Bendroth, John Hathaway, Billy Christison, Fred McCollum, Wilfred Vaughan, Richard Lindsay, George Avery, Malcolm Gray, Charles Bradley, Robert Gagne, William Doyle, Dean Carmichael, Edward O'Connor, Ernest Avery, Richard Chenev, William Valentine, Hector Pattullo, James Bateson, Alan Meek, Jack Arabian, John O'Neil, John Craig, William Brogan, Jack Sherman, Robert Beauchesne, Dana Eastham, Warren Davis, Romilly Humphreys, Louis Gleason, Robert Deyermond, Donald Porter, Clifford Dubois, Kenneth Tomlinson, Frank McCarthy, Thomas Webster, Carl Lindsay, Charles Waterman, Horace Killam, Robert McCoubrie, Robert Yeaton, Edward Morgan, Deighton Emmons, Scott Paradise, Edward White, Donald Blackmer, Billy Westcott, Robert Baldwin. Frank McCarthy will also sing solos, "Little Man You've Had A Busy Day," "If Daddies Could Live On Forever," and "Ah, Sweet Mystery Of Life."

The Male Choir, well known for its fine concerts and Federation honors, will also present several numbers alone.

### MANY ATTEND C. D. A. PARTY

A very successful card party was held by the C. D. A. in the Parochial school hall Monday evening with about a hundred persons in attendance. The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion.

Many door prizes were awarded the following: ticket drawing, Mrs. Hazel Dowd, Mrs. Michael Winters, Mrs. E. J. Farrington; door prizes, Mrs. Clary, Mrs. Sally Hastings, Mrs. Walter Morrissey, Mrs. Eddie Downs, Mrs. Michael Winters; other prizes, Mrs. Gardner Shaw and Mrs. Cornelius Cussen.

The next regular business meeting of the C. D. A. will be held in the school hall, Tuesday evening, April 9.

### MOTHER WAUMPATUCK AT JR. KING'S DAUGHTERS

At the regular bi-monthly meeting of the Junior King's Daughters in the South church vestry, Tuesday evening, Mrs. Miller, Mother Waumpatuck, and Mrs. Smardon spoke on "Life at Waumpatuck" the King's Daughters' summer camp at South Hanson. Movies were also shown following which refreshments were served by Circle III in charge of Constance Cole.

The next meeting will be held in the church vestry on Tuesday evening, April 9, with Circle 5 in charge of refreshments.

### TO HOLD SEWING MEETING

The April Sewing meeting for the Lawrence General hospital will be held Tuesday, April 7, at the Methodist church, Railroad square, Methuen, from 2:00 to 5.00. Sewing for the hospital, tea will be served.

### COLORED PICTURES ILLUSTRATE TALK

At the weekly meeting of the Girls' Friendly society of the Christ church, Monday evening, Mrs. Brainerd Smith of Lawrence, assisted by her son, gave a travel talk illustrated by pictures taken in the Alps, France, Switzerland, Austria and Germany while she and her family were touring abroad. Also colored pictures of mountains in New Hampshire were shown. Refreshments were served by Jeannette Deyermond, Bertha Hilton, Arline Kelley and Laura Marland.

A "sample" party will be enjoyed at next Monday's meeting with the following committee in charge Miss Bertha Cuthill, chairman: Miss Jeannette Deyermond, Misses Edna and Laura Marland, and Misses Ethel, Elizabeth and Bertha Hilton.

### TO SELL HOME COOKED FOOD

The Helping Hand society of the Free church will hold a food sale this Saturday in the vacant store in the Barnard building. The sale of home cooked bread, pies and cakes will begin at 10:00 a. m.

The society is planning to hold a rummage sale in the basement of the Free church, April 14.

### TO CONCLUDE BOOK REVIEWS

The regular meeting of the Monthly Book Reviews by Mrs. Lewis Putnam under the auspices of the Shawsheen Village Women's club will be held Tuesday, April 9, at the home of Mrs. Ellsworth Lewis, 1 Sherbourne street at ten o'clock.

The final meeting will be held April 23 at the home of Mrs. Harold Houston, Hidden road.

### PILGRIM HALL MEETING APRIL 5

The Pilgrim Hall meeting which will be held April 5, will begin at 10:30 a. m. at 14 Beacon street, Boston. Mrs. Myron H. Clark will preside. Miss Louise Fay, former principal of the Chapel Hill school in Waltham, will lead the devotional services. The Schauffler College choir, composed of thirty or more women's voices, will furnish the musical program.

An offering for Schauffler college will be gratefully received at the door.

### A. P. C. HOLD OPEN MEETING

The A. P. C. sorority will meet this evening at eight o'clock at the Andover Historical society home, 97 Main street, to hear Kathleen Emerson Swan. Her subject will be "A Little Old House On A Hill."

The meeting will be open to guests with a small admission charge.

### MANK SISTERS TO PRESENT PROGRAM AT WOMAN'S CLUB

At the Shawsheen Village Woman's club meeting, Monday evening April 1, in Balmoral hall, Misses Helen and Edith Mank will present "In the Land of Little Rain." Mrs. Joseph T. Gagne will be in charge of the program.

The club chorus under the direction of Mrs. Charles Lynde will sing several selections. Those participating: Mrs. Albert Curtis, Mrs. Howard Dolan, Mrs. William Foster, Mrs. H. Garrison Holt, Mrs. Harold Houston, Mrs. Edward Lawson, Mrs. Fred McCollum, Jr., Mrs. William Pedlow, Mrs. Lester Thompson, Mrs. Henry Simmers and Mrs. Clinton Stevens. Mrs. Frederick Smith will be the accompanist.

Mrs. Charles Bradley will be chairman of the hostesses.

### TO HOLD MUSICAL

The Junior Woman's Guild will hold a musical and reading, April 2, at the home of Mrs. Edwin Lewis on Pasho street. The hostesses will be Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. George McCollum.

### CHOIR TO BE HOSTS TO AUXILIARY

On Saturday evening, the Andover Male choir will be host to the Ladies' auxiliary and other friends in the choir rooms. A catered luncheon will be served and a musical program provided by the entertainment committee. Mr. Alexander Campbell is chairman of the committee and his associates are Harold Holt, Bailey Lenane, Alfred Perry and Carl Wetterberg.

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## Ballardvale

—Miss Dorothy Laird of Lowell visited Mr. and Mrs. William McCarthy of Woburn street, Sunday.

—Miss Marie Hutchins, student-nurse at St. John's hospital, Lowell, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hutchins of River street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Foster Matthews of Argilla road entertained Mr. and Mrs. Charles Getchell, recently.

—Miss Helen Nicoll of Hartford, Conn., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Nicoll of Clark road for a few days recently.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Russell of Needham visited Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell of Tewksbury street, Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Beaulieu of Clark road visited relatives in Springfield, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Packard and family of Lexington and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nowell of Lynn visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nowell of High street.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell, Sr., visited friends in Attleboro, Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ainslee Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lightbrain of North Billerica visited Mr. and Mrs. James Schofield of Andover street, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gordon of Methuen visited Mr. and Mrs. George Sparks of River street, Sunday.

Miss Eunice O'Donnell, teacher at Manchester-by-the-sea, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Donnell of Tewksbury street.

—James Haggerty, student at Tufts college, is enjoying his Easter vacation.

—Harold Walker, instructor at Ashland, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Salmond Walker, Chester street.

—Miss Beatrice Greenwood of Tewksbury street visited in Boston, Monday.


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## Republican Banquet Next Thursday

Reservations for the Young Men's Republican Club annual banquet to be held next Thursday night must be in by Tuesday evening. Present indications are that there will be a large attendance.

Particular local interest attaches to the visit of Attorney Robert T. Bushnell, who sold newspapers, and served as bell-hop, waiter and tutor to work his way through Andover, Harvard and Harvard Law. District Attorney of Middlesex county from 1923-1930, he was always a powerful vote-getter, taking 51 of the 54 communities in his first attempt.

Edward Sirois, newly-appointed chairman of the State Republican Committee, will also be a welcome figure.

### BIRTHS

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Meuse at the Lawrence General hospital, Tuesday. The mother is the former Josephine Hurley of Harding street.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tisbert, Greenwood road, West Andover, at the Lawrence General hospital, Sunday.

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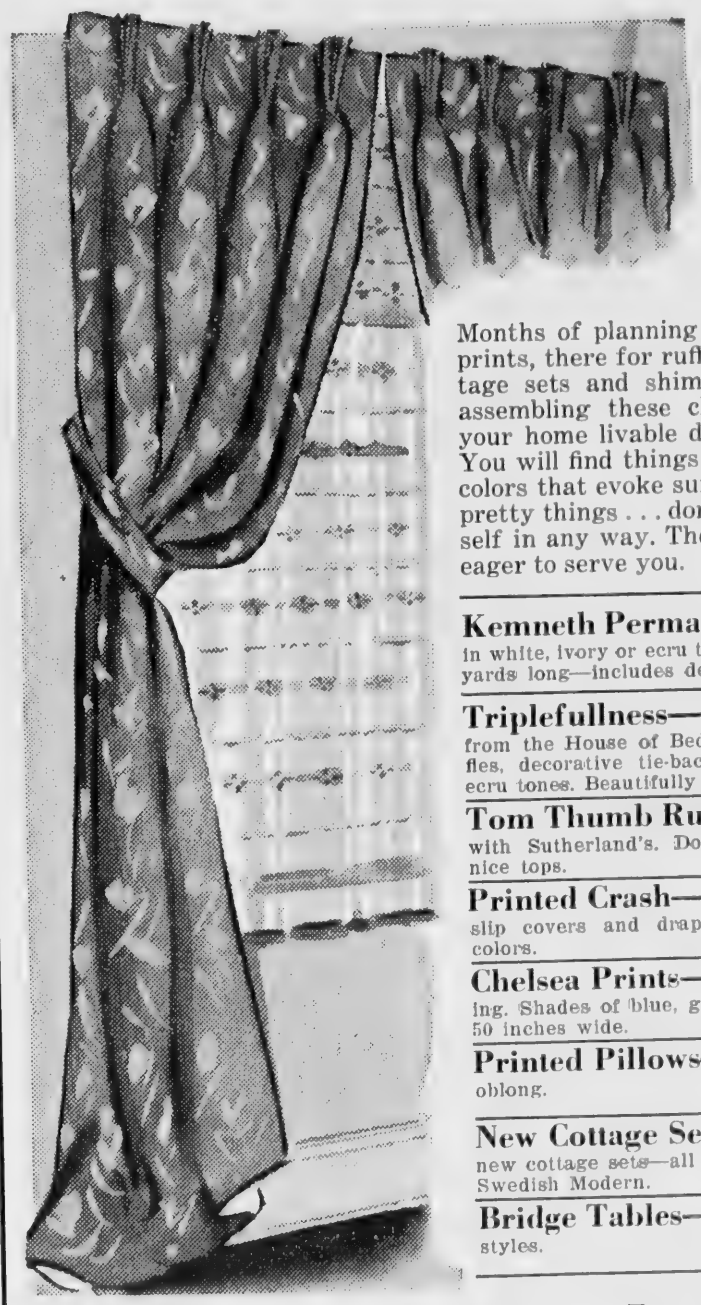

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### Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Elizabeth S. Reed late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and codicil of said deceased by The Andover National Bank and Paul M. Rice both of Andover in said County, praying that they be appointed executors thereof without giving a surety on their bonds.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the first day of April 1940, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, *Register*

From the office of:
Halbert W. Dow, Atty.
411-12 Bay State Bldg.
Lawrence, Mass.

(14-21-28)

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Mollie R. Loomer wife of Amos B. Loomer, late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by Amos B. Loomer of Andover in said County, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the first day of April 1940, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, *Register*
(14-21-28)

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Loveday B. Bell late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by Wallace H. Bell of Andover in said County, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eighth day of April 1940, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, *Register*
(21-28-4)

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Thomas Hamparsoomian late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that Augustine X. Dooley of Lawrence in said County or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the first day of April 1940, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this ninth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, *Register*
(14-21-28)

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Harriette S. Miller (wife of George R. Miller) late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by George R. Miller of Andover in said County, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eighth day of April 1940, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, *Register*
(21-28-4)

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Charles C. Carpenter late of Andover in said County, deceased.

The executrix of the will of said deceased, has presented to said Court for allowance her second to fifth and final accounts inclusive.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fifteenth day of April 1940, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, *Register*
(28-4-11)

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Hannah C. Miner late of Andover, in said County, (wife of Herbert C. Miner) deceased.

The administrator of said estate has presented to said Court for allowance his first and final account.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fifteenth day of April, 1940, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-second day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, *Register*
(28-4-11)

### TOWN OF ANDOVER
### CALL FOR BIDS

The fire department will receive sealed bids for the purchase of a two-ton truck chassis, and of a body for the same, up to four o'clock on April 4th at the Central fire station, Park street, Andover. Specifications may be procured at the engine house or they will be mailed upon request. The department reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Signed: CHARLES F. EMERSON, *Chief*

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To Mary Wilkinson of Lawrence in the County of Essex, executrix of the will of Christina Rennie late of Andover in said County, deceased, testate, and to said Mary Wilkinson in her individual capacity; Chrissy W. Jackson and Elizabeth Wilkinson both of said Andover; William Rennie, Christine Rose and John Rennie all of New York in the State of New York, and to John Rennie of Newport in the state of Rhode Island.

A petition has been presented to said Court by George S. Rennie of said Lawrence, praying that the said respondents may be ordered to turn over to your petitioner George Rennie, Rena Rennie Hicks and Mae Rennie Whittemore, the distributive share of the grandchildren of said deceased, George Rennie, Rena Hicks and Mae Rennie Whittemore, as prayed for in said petition, and for such other and further relief as to said Court may seem proper.

If you desire to be heard thereon you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem within twenty-one days from the fifteenth day of April 1940, the return day of this citation and also file an answer or other pleading within twenty-one days thereafter.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty first day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, *Register*
(28-4-11)

### TOWN OF ANDOVER
### NOTICE

Pursuant to the vote taken at the Annual Town Meeting, March 11, 1940, Article No. 60. The Board of Selectmen of the Town of Andover will receive sealed bids for the purchase of the Bailey District School land and buildings as described in deed given to the Inhabitants of the Town of Andover by Luther Twiss, September 9, 1868 and recorded at the Essex County registry of deeds at Salem in Book 756, leaf 37.

Bids must be filed with the Town Clerk on or before 5:00 o'clock P. M., April 8, 1940.

This Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the
BOARD OF SELECTMEN
George H. Winslow, *Clerk*

### Andover Savings Bank

The following pass books issued by the Andover Savings Bank have been lost and application has been made for the issuance of duplicate books. Public notice of such application is hereby given in accordance with Section 40, Chapter 590, of the Acts of 1908.

Book Numbers 50.378, 53.786.
Payment has been stopped.

LOUIS S. FINGER
Treasurer

### Andover National Bank

The following pass books issued by the Andover National Bank have been lost and applications have been made for the issuance of duplicate books. Public notice of such application is hereby given in accordance with Section 40, Chapter 590, of the Acts of 1908.

Payment has been stopped.
Book Numbers 1098, 5085.

CHESTER W. HOLLAND, *Cashier*

### CHOIR TO SING TONIGHT

A concert program by the Andover Male choir will be given in the parish house of the Grace church, Lawrence, tonight. Other instrumental and vocal music will also be on the program.

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## Boys' Club Enters Semi-Finals

By virtue of a first-round over the Methuen A. A. Tuesday night the Andover Boys' club basketball team will play in the semi-finals of the Greater Lawrence basketball tournament Saturday night at the Y. M. C. A.

Tuesday night the local team had no difficulty defeating the Methuenites 46 to 22, with Fettes scoring 14, McKee 12 and Gorrie 10. Only in the third period did the opponent's show any superiority.

The same night the Y. M. C. A. team defeated the Y. M. H. A. 52 to 20, and this quintet will meet the local boys Saturday, while Y. M. C. A. "B" will meet the St. Augustine (Lawrence) team.

On the Andover team were McKee, Gorrie, Ross, Duff, Fettes, Bisset, Brown, Wallace and Blyth.

## SCOUTORAMA

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program under Packmaster Irving Newman.

The admission charge will be 25 cents.

Scout Executive Harvey H. Bacon is adviser, and council commissioner F. Tyler Carlton is chairman of the business committee on which is Roy Hardy in charge of arrangements and Joseph T. Gagne in charge of sponsors. James R. Mosher, district commissioner of Andover, is on the ticket distribution committee, and scouts on the ticket committee are David A. Bell and Fred W. Boyle.

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## *Winter Sports Film At Calendar Supper*

The Philathea Class of the Andover Baptist Church will serve its annual Calendar Supper in the Church vestry Thursday evening, April 4th, at 6:30. As is the usual custom the tables will be decorated to represent the twelve months of the year and a delicious chicken pie supper will be served by a committee headed by Mrs. Henry Albers and Mrs. Leo O'Connor assisted by Mrs. Jesse Billington, Mrs. Kenneth Thompson, Mrs. Joseph Thompson, Mrs. Harvey Bacon, Mrs. Arthur Smith, Mrs. Harry Dennison, Mrs. Myles Ward, Mrs. Asa Stocks, Mrs. Philip Dodge, Mrs. George Dufton, Mrs. Reginald Norton and Mrs. Charles Stone.

The entertainment committee are offering a special attraction in the presentation of Mr. H. Lester Utley of Shawsheen Village who will show his "Winter Sports" film. This film includes shots of skiing, dog racing, and winter scenery all over the eastern slopes winter sports area, including Bartlett, Jackson, Conway, North Conway and Gilford, N. H. Mr. Utley has established a reputation as an amateur photographer of unusual ability and these pictures in color have never been shown publicly in this locality.

All of the film is taken with the cooperation of the Eastern Slopes Skiing Association with the idea of presenting to the general public what actually goes on in the winter sports areas. Mr. Utley has had a full schedule this winter showing the film all over New England and even New York and the committee are fortunate to be able to present him at this time.

As the supper tickets are limited it is hoped arrangements can be made to accommodate those who might be interested in attending the entertainment in the evening for a nominal fee.

The entertainment committee consists of Mrs. LeRoy Wilson, Mrs. Lorentz I. Hansen, Miss Helen Thompson and Mrs. Clinton Stevens.

### EASTERN STAR MINSTREL SHOW

The members of the local chapter of the Eastern Star will stage a minstrel show at the meeting in the Masonic rooms next Tuesday evening.

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## PROFESSOR BENNER DIES

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to Phillips to teach. He was here for the next 46 years, 44 of which he was the head of the Greek department, being Professor of Greek on the Jonathan French Foundation. Several of the present faculty studied under him.

Since his graduation from Harvard he had served as the secretary of his class and had issued all the class reports. He had hoped to live to publish the fiftieth anniversary report in 1942. His publications, "Selections from Homer's Iliad" and "Beginners' Greek Book," published jointly with Professor Smyth, are widely used as textbooks in many leading colleges.

In June of 1938 Professor Benner retired and took up his residence at the home of his ancestors in Waldoboro where he mingled working on his farm with engaging in literary work. Saturday he was walking along a street in Waldoboro when he was stricken with a heart attack.

He leaves a brother, Harold, of Belmont.

Funeral services were held Tuesday. Representing the Phillips academy trustees and faculty were treasurer James Gould and Professor Horace M. Poynter.

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| St. Johnsbury, Vt. | .85 | .45 |
| Springfield, Mass. | .65 | .35 |
| Bangor, Me. | 1.10 | 60 |

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### PROGRESSIVE SUPPER ENJOYED BY CLASS

Thirty-four members of the Margaret Slattery class enjoyed a progressive supper, Tuesday evening, which began at the home of Mrs. David MacDonald for the first course, progressed to Mrs. Dana Clark's home for the main course and ended with dessert at Miss Ruby Laurie's home, where a business meeting followed. Further plans were made for the Tom Thumb wedding which will take place April 12 in the Free Church parish house. The annual Mothers' and Daughters' banquet which will be held some time in May was also discussed and tentative arrangements were made.

### WOMAN'S ALLIANCE STYLE SHOW

The Woman's Alliance of the Free Church will hold a style show next Thursday afternoon at 2:30. Gowns and sports clothes will be shown by Cherry and Webb's of Lawrence. Admission is 35 cents.

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### S. AND C. CHICKEN PIE SUPPER

The Square and Compass club will sponsor a chicken pie supper April 6th from 5 to 7. The committee: J. Lewis Smith, Everett D. Burton, M. Phillips Graham, Charles E. Foster, James Mitchell, Alex Morrison, Andrew McTernen, Sidney P. White, John Carse, J. Augustus Remington, Osborne Sutton, Henry A. Bodwell, Albert W. Badger, Rowland Luce and Fred Cheney.

Moving pictures, including "Touching All Bases" will be shown at the club meeting next Thursday.

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## West Parish

—Miss Mary Sprague has returned to her home on Shawsheen road after visiting a few days with friends in Kingston, N. Y.

—Miss Isabelle Bourdelais of Chandler road has accepted a position at the North Reading sanitorium.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lewis and sons of Lowell street were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lewis of Madbury, N. H.

—Kenneth Barnard spent several days last week in New York on a business trip.

—Mrs. Arthur Peatman and Mrs. Herbert Lewis of Lowell street recently visited with Mrs. Ralph Gleeson of Shirley, Mass.

—Mrs. Carl Stevens of High Plain road spent Tuesday as guest of Mrs. Gray Brockelbank of Wakefield.

—Lawrence Wood of Lowell street has returned from a business trip to New York City.

—Miss Jean Hardy is ill at her home on River road.

—Mrs. Herbert Merrick has returned to her home on Lowell street after an extended visit with friends in Brimfield, Mass.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Marshall and Marjorie of Chicopee were week-end guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. Russell Foster of Lowell street.

—Fireman Alfred J. Ratte of Beacon street is attached to the U. S. S. Sims which has been assigned to join the fleet in the Pacific.

—Miss Doris Newton of Boutwell road has accepted a position as Supervisor of Music in the Lancaster Industrial school for Gir's at Lancaster, Mass.

—Mrs. Kenneth Hilton of Lowell street has returned to her duties as teacher in the West Center after being confined to her home with illness.

—Mr. and Mrs. Everett Junkins and Katherine of Brockton, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Fred B. Batcheller, Shawsheen road.

### TO HEAR CLINIC SPEAKER

The monthly meeting of the Junior Woman's Union will be held on Wednesday evening, April 3 at 8:00 at the home of Mrs. Sherman Boutwell, Shawsheen road. There will be a representative from the Lawrence Clinic to tell of its work. The hostesses will be Mrs. Norman Morgan, Mrs. Harold Johnson and Mrs. Boutwell.

### GUESTS ENJOY GRANGE CHALKTALK

Rev. George Lombard's humorous chalktalk on "Funny-bones, Jaw-bones and Back-bones" was enthusiastically received by a large audience at the Grange meeting Tuesday evening composed of about eighty members and invited guests from Ipswich, North Andover and Boxford Granges. Miss Ebba Peterson had charge of the program which included community singing.

Degree practice will be held in the Grange hall on Tuesday and Thursday evenings April 2 and 4.

### TO HOLD MEETING

The Lafalot club will meet on Tuesday evening April 2 at 8:00 at the home of Mrs. Russell Foster, Lowell street.

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### WOMAN'S UNION PLAN FOOD SALE

The Woman's Union of the West church will conduct a food sale in the J. H. Playdon Florist shop on Main street, tomorrow from 2:00 to 5:00 o'clock. Leave your orders for baked beans with either Mrs. Herbert Carter or Mrs. Arthur Lewis.

### TO ENTERTAIN BALLARDVALE SOCIETY

The Woman's Union of the West church will meet on Wednesday, April 3 in the Church vestry with the members of the Ladies Aid society of the Congregational church of Ballardvale as their guests. There will be special music and a speaker from the Little Wanderers' Home in Boston. Hostesses will be Mrs. William Trow, Mrs. Chester Johnson, Mrs. Herbert Carter and Mrs. William Corliss.

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### MINSTREL SHOW SATURDAY NIGHT

The Drill team of the Clan auxiliary will hold their annual minstrel show, Saturday night, in the town hall. Their program of songs and dialogue will be augmented by specialty dances. A dress rehearsal will be held tonight.

### COURTEOUS CIRCLE TO SEW FOR RED CROSS

The Courteous Circle of The King's Daughters will meet next Monday evening, with a supper at 6.30. Following there will be a business meeting and sewing for the Red Cross. Members are asked to bring a thimble and scissors.

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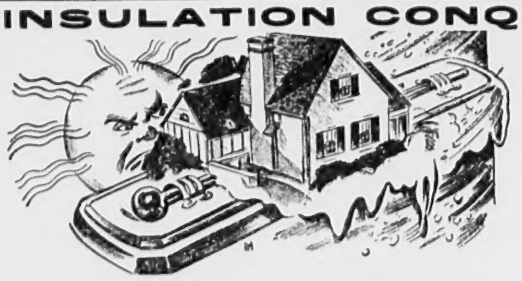

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## MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY NOTES

The following new books have recently been added to the Memorial Hall library:

THE HUNDREDTH YEAR, GUEDALLA. In many ways, the year 1936 seems far distant, yet the important changes of that year which are recorded in this book form the basis of the present world turmoil. Mr. Guedalla achieved fame as a historian through his earlier book, "The Hundred Years." His access to important documents and records, his acquaintance with outstanding contemporary figures, and a natural talent for presenting his information tend to make his books readable to a greater number of people.

POLONAISE, HARE. In a sympathetic way, the author writes about the psychological changes in the lives of three English children who, while their parents seek a divorce, are sent to Warsaw, Poland, to visit a distant relative of the family.

GEM TRADER, KORNITZER. Here is a book that tells us about precious stones not from the scientist's viewpoint but rather from that of a man who has traded in gems for many years in such great centers as Vienna, Paris, London and the Far East. The knowledge he has acquired during his lifetime is imparted to the reader with many amusing and exciting anecdotes. One finds himself learning much about pearls, emeralds and diamonds in a most painless fashion!

SUN AND STORM, SEPPANEN. Unto Seppanen is one of the outstanding literary figures of Finland and the background of his prize winning novels is the Karelian Isthmus. A peasant's desire to fulfil his dream of wealth, power and freedom from the Russian overlords is the theme which runs through this powerfully written novel. The triumphant conclusion is perhaps a bit ironic when we consider the outcome of their recent conflicts.

FLOWERING EARTH, PEATTIE. Mr. Peattie, one of this country's outstanding naturalists, is able to convey to his reader his own strong enthusiasms for the life that exists about us. In this tracing of the evolution of the plant world, he shares with us botanic experiences in an interesting way which isn't too scientific to be completely understandable.

### ASSIGNED ADJUTANT

Among the 135 new appointments and assignments of cadet officers of the Massachusetts Institute of Technollogy Reserve Officers Training Corps Regiment announced by Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Thomas-Stahle, recently was the name of First Lieutenant James F. Levis of Andover who was assigned as an adjutant to the batallion.


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### PLAN JOYOUS AFFAIR

The committee on arrangements for the Shawsheen Community Charity dance to be held Monday night, April 1, at the Crystal ballroom are making final plans for a joyous evening's entertainment. Specialty dances and entertainment numbers will be featured. Old-fashioned and modern dances will be enjoyed.

The members of the committee: Benjamin Babb, John L. Flaherty, J. Lewis Smith, Arthur Jowett, Leon Wilkinson, William Renny, Harry I. Emmons, George Winslow, Frank Robinson, Harold Phinney, Luther Leighton, George Cairns, Joseph T. Gagne, Henry Simmers, Standish Perkins, Raymond Masse, Edward Hill, Charles O'Connor and James Mosher.


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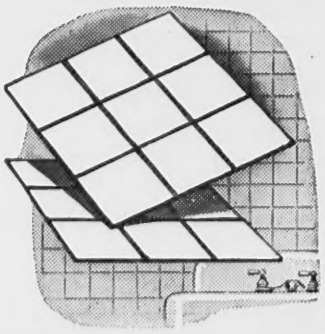

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Pourers at the tea following the lecture were Mrs. Frederick E. Newton and Mrs. Reeve Chipman.

Department meetings follow: March 29, dramatic department, with Mrs. Archie Frost, Salem street; April 1, art department, annual, with Miss Alice Jenkins, 39 School street; April 3, literature department, annual, Mrs. Walter Rankin, 67 Central street; April 12, dramatic department, annual, Mrs. Henry Barnard, Elm square.

### CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR CHINESE NIGHT

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